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The rather astonishing disclosure that the Central Intelligence Agency has been engaged in financing the NSA surreptitiously through foundations which often deplore freedom points up the need for a student organization that will represent students rather than some other outside force.

For success in attracting students such an association must have worthy goals written in its constitution. Above all else, it should not impose upon its members any philosophy other than a belief in the Supreme Being.

What kind of goals can be accounted worthy?

One might be to arrange student discounts with merchants from whom student members purchase goods and services. Another might be the establishment of forums for the discussion of common problems and

an exchange of solutions. Setting up a Speaker's Bureau to provide renowned orators for student groups is desirable, and a library of books, films and other reference material would help the scholars in their search for knowledge.

An annual national conference for student groups interested in different areas of learning could be of great value. Religious and scholastic retreats could be arranged. Liaison programs between student groups and the various levels of government would increase the students' awareness of their country and the world.

Students and other thoughtful persons can add to the list of worthy goals. The big objective is that the student organization should be participants and beneficiaries and not victims.